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O 152047Z MAY 78  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY MOSCOW IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: TGEN, US, UR

SUBJECT: US-USSR S&T AGREEMENT: PHYSICS: CONDENSED MATTER  
SYMPOSIUM (01.0801)

REF: STATE 114526

1. ON BASIS OF TELEX MAY 15 FROM KULAKOV TO MITCHELL, IT  
APPEARS THAT KULAKOV HAS NOT YET RECEIVED COPY OF REFTEL.  
THERE HAVE ALSO ARISEN SERIOUS PROBLEMS WITH REGARD TO US  
PARTICIPANTS' VISAS.

2. NAS TODAY SENT FOLLOWING TELEX TO KULAKOV:

REFERENCE YOUR TELEX MAY 15 ABOUT CONDENSED MATTER  
DELEGATION, USSR CONSULATE WASHINGTON HAS ISSUED VISAS  
FOR ALL US PARTICIPANTS VALID FOR ENTRY MAY 21. HOWEVER  
7 PARTICIPANTS (LANGER, MAZENKO, MAKI, MERMIN, ORBACH,  
SAK, AND SCALAPINO) ARRIVE MAY 20 BY PAN AM 66 FROM NEW  
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YORK. THIS INFORMATION TOGETHER WITH PAPER TOPICS AND  
WISHES FOR POST SYMPOSIUM TRAVEL WAS CONVEYED MAY 5,  
THROUGH US EMBASSY MOSCOW TO ASUSSR CORRESPONDING MEMBER  
KALATINKOV WITH COPY TO YOUR OFFICE AND WE ARE SURPRISED  
ON BASIS YOUR TELEX THAT YOU HAVE NOT YET RECEIVED IT.  
VISAS PRESENT SERIOUS PROBLEMS FOR FORMENTIONED

PARTICIPANTS SINCE IT WILL BE EXTREMELY DIFFICULT FOR THEM TO CHANGE AIRLINE RESERVATIONS. IN CASE USSR CONSULATE WASHINGTON CAN REWRITE VISAS WITHIN NEXT DAY, PLEASE AUTHORIZE THEM TO CHANGE ARRIVAL DATE FOR THE 7 WHO ARRIVE MAY 20. ALTERNATIVELY WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE FOR THE 7 TO ARRIVE MOSCOW MAY 20 CONTRARY TO WRITTEN VISAS? PLEASE RESPOND IMMEDIATELY.

3. REQUEST EMBASSY ON URGENT BASIS DOUBLE CHECK WITH KULAKOV TO RESOLVE ABOVE PROBLEMS SOONEST AND REPORT RESULTS BY IMMEDIATE CABLE. ALSO REPORT WHEN CONTENTS REFTEL DELIVERED AND TO WHOM. VANCE

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